BPAC RESOLUTION #2-2005

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE BISCAYNE-EVERGLADES TRAIL PROJECT

WHEREAS, the Miami-Dade Metropolitan Planning Organization Governing Board has established the Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC) to advise it on bicycle/pedestrian matters; and

WHEREAS, the concept of a multi-use paved path connecting Biscayne and Everglades National Parks was identified in the South Dade Greenways Network Master Plan and included in the MPO's Bicycle Facilities Plan;

WHEREAS, the City of Homestead, home to the first system of bikeways in the United States, is a gateway to the two National Parks and Homestead's residents and visitors would benefit from increased accessibility to these facilities;

WHEREAS, the National Park Service is working with the City of Homestead and the Miami-Dade Parks and Recreation Department to develop the Biscayne-Everglades Trail to connect the two parks and historic downtown Homestead.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE OF THE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION FOR THE MIAMI **URBANIZED AREA:**

THAT the Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee supports the Biscayne-Everglades Trail and requests to be updated on its progress at the appropriate stages of development.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Sheila Boyce, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Barry Burak, and being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Brett Bibeau – absent

Amado Leon - aye

Sheila Boyce – aye

Ted Silver - aye

Barry Burak - aye

Susan Kairalla – aye

The Chair thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 27th day of April, 2005.

BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE (BPAC)

David Henderson, BPAC Secretariat